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MINISTRY OF COMMERCE

PUBLIC NOTICE

IMPORT TRADE CONTROL

New Delhi, the 20th May 1968

SUBJECT.—Import of spare parts by actual users during April, 1968—March, 1969.

No. 85-ITC(PN)/68.—Attention is invited to the policy for import of spare parts by actual users, as contained in Section I of the Import Trade Control Policy (Red Book, Vol. I) for the period April, 1968—March, 1969. This Public Notice gives, in detail, the import policy and procedure that will be followed in allowing import of spare parts required by actual users during April, 1968—March, 1969.

Import of spare parts by units engaged in the priority industries:

2. The units engaged in the priority industries, both in the large and the small scale sectors, should submit separate applications for import of spare parts, in the manner provided in paragraphs 23—29 of Section I of the Import Trade Control Policy (Red Book, Vol. I) for the period April, 1968—March, 1969.

3. No lists of spare parts to be imported will be attached to the licences, except in the case of endorsements referred to in paragraph 4 below. The licence will be valid automatically for the import of spare parts required for the maintenance of the plant, machinery and equipment installed or used in the licence holder's factory at the address shown in the application against which the licence is issued

and for the purpose for which the licence is issued. But it shall not be open to the licensee to import items appearing in Appendix 3 to the Import Trade Control Policy (Red Book, Vol. I) for the period April, 1968—March, 1969, for a total value exceeding 5 per cent of the value of the licence, subject to a maximum of Rs. 10,000, within the overall face value of the licence the import of a single item not exceeding Rs. 1,000 in value.

4. If an actual user licensee requires to import spare parts listed in the said Appendix 3 in excess of the value limits as indicated above, he should apply for a specific endorsement on the licence to this effect, furnishing a list of the items sought to be imported and the value of each item. The value shown against each item in the list of goods accompanying the application for such endorsement, should be only the amount which cannot be accommodated within the value limits up to which imports are automatically permitted without endorsement as indicated in paragraph 3 above.

5. Requests for endorsements under paragraph 4 above should be made to the licensing authority concerned through the respective sponsoring authority. The units in the small scale sector should also make such requests through the sponsoring authority concerned. The sponsoring authority will recommend only the additional value in respect of each item, sought to be imported, after taking into account the imports that could be automatically made against the licence in question as stated in this Public Notice. Requests for import of items which are not otherwise permissible to actual users in terms of the current import policy, will not be entertained.

6. While endorsing an import licence in terms of paragraph 4 above, the licensing authority will indicate the items and the additional value in respect of each item to be permitted for import. The endorsement will enable the licensee to import spare parts appearing in the said Appendix 3, to the extent covered by the endorsement, in addition to the import of such spare parts up to the value limits mentioned in paragraph 3 above, within the overall face value of the licence.

7. Import licences issued for raw materials and components (and not spare parts) will also be valid for the import of permissible spare parts and small tools, including spare parts of machine tools to the extent of 25 per cent of the face value of the licence, within the overall value of the licence, as provided in paragraph 84(1) (b) of the Import Trade Control Hand Book of Rules and Procedure, 1968. Within this 25 per cent face value limit, the licensee can also import spare parts listed in the said Appendix 3 upto 5 per cent of the total value of the licence or Rs. 4,000, whichever is less, the import of a single item not exceeding Rs. 1,000 in value, in accordance with the provisions of sub-paragraph 84(1)(c) of the Import Trade Control Hand Book of Rules and Procedure, 1968.

Units engaged in industries other than the priority industries.

8. The units engaged in industries other than the priority industries, both in the large and the small scale sectors, will be granted consolidated import licences for raw materials, components and spares, as provided in the Import Trade Control Policy (Red Book, Vol. I) for the period April, 1968—March, 1969. It will not be necessary for the applicant to furnish the list of spare parts sought to be imported except while making a request for an endorsement referred to in paragraph 9 below. The import licences for raw materials, components and spare parts issued to such units will automatically be valid for the import of spare parts required for the maintenance of the plant, machinery and equipment installed or used in the licence holder's factory at the address shown in the application against which the licence is issued and for the purpose for which the licence is issued. Within the value of the licence, it shall be open to the licensee to import the items listed in Appendix 3 to the Import Trade Control Policy (Red Book, Vol. I) for the period April, 1968—March, 1969, to the extent of 5 per cent of the face value of the licence or Rs. 4,000, whichever is less, the import of a single item not exceeding Rs. 1,000 in value, as provided in paragraph 84 (1)(d) of the Import Trade Control Hand Book of Rules and Procedure, 1968.

9. The licensees requiring to import spare parts listed in the said Appendix 3 in excess of the value limits as indicated in paragraph 8 above, should apply for a specific endorsement on the licence to this effect in the same manner as laid down for the units engaged in the priority industries in paragraphs 4 and 5 above.

10. While endorsing the import licence in terms of paragraph 9 above, the

Licensing authorities will indicate the items and additional value in respect of each item to be permitted for import. The endorsement will enable the licensee to import spare parts appearing in the said Appendix 3, to the extent covered by the endorsement, in addition to the import of such spare parts upto the value limits mentioned in sub-paragraph 84(1) (d) of the Import Trade Control Hand Book of Rules and Procedure, 1968, as referred to in paragraph 8 above.

11. The provisions contained in paragraph 3 of the Ministry of Commerce Public Notice No. 59-ITC(PN)/68 dated 11th April, 1968, may be deemed to have been suitably amended.

P. D. KASBEKAR,
Chief Controller of Imports and Exports

